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On the occasion of the 50th year of the foundation of Saha Institute of Nuclear Physics, a series of national/international conferences/workshops were organized in the year 2000. In view of the nationwide effort to develop a medium sized multi-detector array it was decided to organize an international workshop on research activities of low and intermediate energy nuclear physics with such arrays. It was not an easy task and collective effort was very much necessary to organize a workshop or conference like 'Physics with Multi-Detector Array – PMDA 2000' particularly when the source was limited. The local organizing committee comprising a group of very determined, devoted, sincere and energetic experimental nuclear physicists of the institute and VECC with the full support of the authority of the institute overcame all obstacles and held the workshop. I am proud to be a member of this committee.

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